RAJYASEVAPRAVINA M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : The member is referred to the Press Communique dated the 21st September 1940 and the Press Note dated the 7th October 1940 copies of which are placed on the Secretary's table.

Primary School, Mettukkada.

86. ✻**MR. KAVIYOOR K. K. KOCHUKUNJU** : Will the Government be pleased to state whether Fourth Class has been opened in the Primary School, Mettukkada, Trivandrum, in accordance with he condition in the grant memo of 1114 ?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON : Class IV has been opened in the school.

Electric Supply to Chengannoor.

87. ✻**MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** : With regard to the answer given to Question No. 52 reported at page 188 of the Sri Mulam Assembly Proceedings Volume XVI regarding the electric supply to Chengannoor, will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the extension of electric supply to Chengannoor has been effected ;

(*b*) the steps so far taken in the matter :

(*c*) whether any representation has been submitted by Chengannoor public to Government or the Electrical Engineer for the extension of the electric supply ?

MR. D. GAINNEOS : (*a*) No.

(*b*) The survey has been completed and the estimate for the work is under preparation. Materials required for this and similar extensions have already been ordered from abroad.

(*c*) Yes.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI : With regard to (*c*) may I know the date ? I want to show that the matter has been pending for a long time.

PRESIDENT : What is the matter ?

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI : I wanted to know whether any representation had been submitted by the Chengannur public to Government or the Electrical Engineer for the extension of the Electric supply.

MR. D. GAINNEOS : The information is not available.

PRESIDENT : Chief Secretary, what has been done with regard to this work ? Today we have to come to some conclusion with regard to it.

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : Yes.

Multi-purpose Co-operative Societies.

88. ✻**MR. KOTTALIL P. ABRAHAM** : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether any multi-purpose Co-operative Societies on Co-operative basis were registered and established in the State during 1116 up to 1-5-1116 ; and

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[Mr. Kottalil P. Abraham.]

(*b*) if so, their names and their headquarters, and their respective registered capitals?

MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO (*Registrar of Co-operative Societies*): (*a*) None.

(*b*) The question does not arise.

Malayalam Primary School for Girls at Varkala.

89. ❋ **MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN** (*Chirayinkil* cum *Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have decided to raise the Malayalam Primary School for Girls at Varkala to a Malayalam High School from the beginning of next academic year?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: No.

Extension of Transport Service.

90. ❋ **MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN**: Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have considered the possibility of extending the Transport Service from Poojapura to Kattakada and from there to Nedumangad?

MR. E. G. SALTER: Yes.

Delivery of articles by the Anchal Department.

91. ❋ **MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) what undertaking is given by the Anchal Department for the safe and secure delivery of articles, for which, an additional amount of ¾ of a Chackram is realised from the public and a certificate of posting is issued;

(*b*) what undertaking is given by the Department for the safe and secure delivery of articles posted as "Book Post"; and

(*c*) why the Department includes "Book Post" articles in the bag lists?

MR. D. GAINNEOS: (*a*) No undertaking is given except the usual undertaking that all articles posted in the Anchal Offices will be duly delivered.

(*b*) The same as in the case of all un-registered articles.

(*c*) Book-posts are included in the bag lists since their contents are supposed to be valuable.

District Hospital, Nagercoil.

92. ❋ **MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the amount sanctioned during the years 1113, 1114 and 1115 for diet, in the District Hospital, Nagercoil;

(*b*) the number of in-patients in that hospital during those years; and

(*c*) the number of in-patients in the first quarter of 1116?

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